

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	Docket No.: TI-31681
Venkateswar R. Kowkutla, et al.	Art Unit: 2819
Serial No.: 09/945,027	Examiner: Linh V. Nguyen
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For: IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO AMPLIFIERS	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 11, 2006, the six month statutory period for response having been shortened by three months and now being set to expire on August 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: